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Machine-Worked Guns.

[The Standard, March 27.]

It is well known that from the great
ordnance-making firm of Sir William
Armstrong & Co., there some time
since emanated a proposition for al-
most superseding human power in
working the heavy guns that are now
coming into vogue. Such a proposal
came none too soon, for with 35 and
38 ton guns now in use, with a leviathan
of 80 tons in process of manufac-
ture, and still huger monsters loom-
ing in the not distant future, it is clear
that we must soon reach a point at
which unaided muscle and sinews
would be altogether inadequate to per-
form the operation of loading. The
need being distinctly apparent, Mr.
George Randel, the managing partner
of Sir William Armstrong & Co., set
himself to apply it, and pressing in aid
the almost incalculable power of hy-
draulic science, he has devised a species
of automatic loading gear which is
now about to undergo a crucial trial,
through the result may be safely pre-
dicted before the demonstration ac-
tually takes place. Her Majesty's tur-
ret ship Thunderer, an improved De-
vastation, which is now ready for sea
in Portsmouth Harbor, carries, like
her great prototype, in her two turrets
four of the heaviest guns yet made,
and to two of these the new automatic
loading is being fitted. In the after
turret there are two 35-ton guns, work-
ed on the same principle as the guns
of the Devastation, but in the fore
turret there will be two of the 38-ton
guns, which are made three feet long-
er to enable them to burn a heavier
charge of powder. To work such a
weapon with all the mechanical ad-
vantages conferred by the best carriages
and slides, would require a gun de-
tachment within the turret of
23 men, whose labor would be severe
and comparatively slow. By the aid
of the new loading gear—of which it
is only necessary to say it is a skilful
adaptation of well-known hydraulic prin-
ciples, the motive power being a 30-
horse power donkey engine beneath
the turret—three men working ordi-
nary locomotive lever handles run the
gun in and sponge out, raise the 700
lb. shot, ram that and the cartridge
home together, and, where unusual
elevation or depression is required,
lower or raise bodily, gun, carriage, and
slide. Any detailed description would,
without drawings, fail to convey an
accurate idea of the simple machinery
that is applied to the ordinary pattern
of slide and carriage used by the firm,
but the main portion consists of an
hydraulic cylinder beneath, which is
used both for breaking the force of
the recoil, and for running the gun in
and out. For the purpose of loading
two holes are cut through the 14 in-
ches of iron forming the turret walls,
just below the fighting ports, inclining
downwards at precisely the same
angle as the guns when drawn com-
pletely within the turret and depressed
to the loading position. When the
fore turret is rotated so that the fight-
ing ports are in the protected position
facing aft these two loading communi-
cations with the breast-work deck at a
lateral angle of 39 degrees with the
ship's keel, and with an angle of de-
pression of 12 degrees. The loading hole
is of the same calibre as the bore of
the gun, and means are adopted to insure
both being exactly co-incident when the
gun is fixed in the loading position.
The loading is performed by a long metal
rammer terminating in a cylinder
head, which is covered with suitable
materials to act as the sponge. When
the rammer is thrust home to "search"
the gun after a discharge, a jet of
water is discharged in the powder
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muzzle-loaders. Immediately beneath
the loading-hole is a movable plat-
form, working vertically with perfect
accuracy on two polished parallel
steel rods fixed between the breast-
work deck and the deck above. Form-
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work, this platform, by the simple
movement of a lever, rises swiftly and
smoothly upward to a position imme-
diately below the loading hole. To
bring the ponderous shot to this plat-
form a miniature railway runs in a gen-
tle curve to the shot rack, which is in
the side of the ship, and the huge
mass of metal is tilted on a little iron
carriage or trolley, which is of itself a

model of ingenious adaptation. It
consists of an under carriage on four
wheels, which, by simply turning the
T shaped traction handle, becomes
firmly locked to the rails, so as to con-
ternact any rolling or pitching motion
that may take place while the shot is
in transit. The upper part of this
carriage, which forms a bed for the
shot, has two independent motions.
First, it turns at right angles to the
line of traction, and then is tilted
vertically by the handle. Each shot
stands point upwards in the rack, on
a base plate fitted with two movable
lugs terminating in eyes, and when a
shot is required for loading the trolley
is run alongside it. The two motions,
which are instantly performed, bring
the shot bed into juxtaposition with
the shot, and the truck-handle,
forming a powerful lever, two men
easily trip it athwartships on the
truck. A lateral movement of the
handle brings the shot fore and aft,
the base pointing forward, and then
the trolley is wheeled along the rail-
way to the moveable platform. Here
it is locked to the rails, and with a
single movement of the appropriate
lever, platform, carriage, and shot
rise steadily to the loading hole. The
cartridge has meanwhile been placed
in the muzzle of the gun, and when
the shot has reached the proper alti-
tude the metal rammer head, which is
cupped out to fit, takes the point of
the shot and presses both steadily and
firmly home.

Though the guns are not fixed in
the Thunderer's turrets, the work of
fitting the loading gear was so far
completed that steam was got up on
Thursday, and all the arrangements
were tested, everything working a
merrill. The fitting of the four
turrets has been performed under the
supervision of over-seers of the Arm-
strong Company, by the shipwright
department of the dockyard, who
have been greatly complimented for
the admirable way in which the work
is done. It is expected that the thun-
derer will be ready for a practical
trial of this important machinery in
another ten days, when she will no
doubt steam outside the Isle of Wight
for short practice from both turrets. If
the result is what may be fairly an-
ticipated we may look for the speedy
extension of a system which will put
the touch to the revolution which has
taken place in regard to naval war-
fare.

MILLINERY.—A splendid assortment
of the latest styles of Bonnets, Hats, &c.,
for Ladies and Children at London
House. All millinery orders at this
establishment are now executed by a
first-class Milliner from the West End of
London, who has recently arrived in the
Province.

Miscellaneous.

MINERS, FARMERS, LUMBERMEN, Contractors & others, READ! MARK! LEARN!

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ONE PRICE & NO ABATEMENT.

DINNEFORD'S
SOLUTION OF
DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA
Is the great remedy for
Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heart-
burn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations,
and Bilious Affections;
IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATISM,
GRUEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF
THE BLADDER.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Child-
ren, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of
nancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.
N.B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA
and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves
and Belts.

For Sale--To Let.

Old Established Brewery and Saloon For Sale.

THE SALOON AND BREWERY OF THE
undersigned, established in 1861 and situated on
the Esquimalt Road, half-way between Victoria and
Esquimalt, is offered for sale low.
The Buildings are well finished and commodious.
The plant of the Brewery is most complete. The land
comprises about Two Acres and is situated in a fine
There are three never-failing Wells of fine Spring Water on
the Premises and every appliance for the immediate
commencement of Brewing by a Company or Firm
with a small capital. Reason for selling, retiring
from business.
For particulars apply on the premises.
J. BLAND,
1017 Half-way House, Esquimalt Road.

NORFOLK FARM, PEDDER BAY, FOR SALE.

THIS FARM CONTAINS 304 ACRES; 70
acres of which are under cultivation.
The Dwelling-house is substantial and contains
Eight Rooms. There are commodious Barns, the
usual Outhouses, Dairy, etc.
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To Let or Lease.

A SMALL FARM IN AN OUTLYING DIS-
TRICT. Terms easy. For part or whole apply at
THIS OFFICE.

Farm to Lease.

A FARM CONTAINING 160 ACRES OF
Land in the Township of Langley, all Prairie.
50 acres are fenced and 15 acres laid down in grass.
The productive quality of this land is well known to
be the best in the Province. The weight of oats raised
from the land last year was 18 lbs. per bushel. The
whole farm is now under contract to be fenced in.
There is a new House containing 4 rooms upstairs,
with kitchen and dairy attached. The Stock consists
of 10 first-class Milch Cows, 2 Yoke of Oxen and 28
head of different ages. This Stock has been selected
from the Hudson Bay Company's large herd. The
Farm Implements are all new. The whole will be
let to a reliable party on advantageous terms.
Apply to the proprietor, H. B. Co., Langley.
1017 Indw

Fence Posts for Sale!

10,000 SPLIT CEDAR POSTS,
for sale CHEAP in quantities to
suit.

Farm to Let

A HEAD OF VICTORIA ARM FOR A
term of years at a LOW RENTAL.
This is a Fine House and Good Buildings. About
40 acres under cultivation. Apply to
DR. TOLMIE, Cloverdale;
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion street.

TO RENT.

THAT LARGE & COMMODIOUS STORE,
(26 ft. by 45 ft., height of ceiling 13 ft.) well
fitted with Counters and Shelving, situated on
Victoria Crescent, Nanaimo, and lately occupied by Mr.
S. D. Levi, is offered for Rent. A storeroom and cel-
lar attached. For particulars apply to
JAS. MCKAY SMITHSON,
Identical Hotel.

STEAM SERVICE BETWEEN VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General
of Canada, will be received at Ottawa until noon
on Tuesday, 4th May next, for the conveyance of
Her Majesty's Mail twice a month by steamships of
not less than 1,000 tons, nor of less speed than 10
knots an hour, between Victoria, B.C., and San Fran-
cisco, for a term of five years, commencing on and
from 1st August.

Tenders to state the price asked for the double
voyage from Victoria to San Francisco and back or
vice versa, and payment will be made at Victoria
Quarterly.

Stipulations of proposed contracts may be had at
the Post Office of the Chief Cities of the Dominion,
including Victoria, B.C., at the Office of the British
Consuls in New York and San Francisco, at the Office
of Messrs. Allan Brothers, Liverpool, and at the Of-
fice of the Agent General for Canada in London, Ed-
ward Jenkins, Esq., King Street, Westminster.

WILLIAM WHITE,
Secretary.

Post Office Department, Canada,
Ottawa, 26th Feb'y, 1875.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED
on as R. Brodbeck & Co. will from this date be
continued under the firm name of Engelhardt & Co.
Victoria, April 16th, 1875.

Engelhardt & Co.,

[SUCCESSORS TO R. BRODBECK & CO.]

COAL, WOOD & COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND WHARFINGERS.

Agents of the California Steamers.

Coal Contractors to the Royal Navy

Agents for San Juan Lime.

REMOVAL.

Malcolm McClarty

FASHIONABLE
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,

Has Removed to Johnson Street, two doors below
Government Street.

F. NEUFELDER & CO.

(ROYAL HOTEL BUILDING)
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

Commission Merchants
And Importers of

AMERICAN, CANADIAN AND
EUROPEAN GOODS,

SOLE AGENTS FOR
LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S
PATENT CLOTHING.

N. B.—This Patent is secured for the Unit-
ed States, Canada, England & Germany.

Postal.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma.....	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M.	Tuesday and Friday 8:30 A.M.
New Westminster.....	Wednesday 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 7:30 A.M.
Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Friday 7:30 A.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6:30 P.M.
Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchoosin.....	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich.....	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke.....	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, and
Newfoundland, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westmin-
ster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Post Office, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

NEW GOODS

— EX —

Brierly Hill, Lady Lampson and 'Clifton.

We have received large shipments of Goods by the above vessels. Our
Stock of

HOUSE

Furnishing Goods

Is Now Complete.

10,000 pieces of Wall Paper of the newest patterns, Paper Lining, Door
Mats, Cocoa and China Matting, Window Blinds, Floor and
Table Oil Cloths, Linoleum, China, and Children's Tea
Sets, Brown Tea Pots,

Glassware & Crockery

Plated Ware, and Cutlery, Warming Pans, Hot Water Foot Warmers for Beds
and Carriages, Copper Toddy Kettles, Egg Cups and Nest Eggs,

BRUSHES OF ALL KINDS

Coal Scuttles, Fenders and Fire Irons, Garden Tools,

TWEEDS FOR BOY'S CLOTHING,

A Fine Assortment of Alpaca and Brilintines; FURNITURE and BEDDING
of all kinds kept in stock and Made to Order.

Our system of selling goods at SMALL PROFITS has increased our business
so that we are able to purchase goods in large quantities DIRECT FROM THE
MANUFACTURERS which enables us to sell a much better quality of goods with-
out advancing our prices.

The Highest Cash Price Paid for Wool.

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MANSELL & HOLROYD, Yates Street.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 4 of 1875.

POINT ATKINSON REVOLVING LIGHT.

Notice is hereby given that a Light-house has been
erected by the Government of Canada on Point Atkin-
son, at the north westerly entrance to Esquimalt Bay
and Burrard Inlet in the Straits of Georgia, British
Columbia.

Latitude 49 deg. 19 min. 42 sec. N.
Longitude 123 deg. 15 min. 46 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the catoptric principle,
elevated 119 feet above high water, will be exhibited
on 1st May next. The light will show at intervals of
one minute, making a complete revolution in two
minutes.

The tower is a square building with dwelling house
attached, painted white, elevated 40 feet from sur-
rounding level. The Light will be visible
round an arc of the horizon from the entrance to
Burrard Inlet to an E. by N. bearing, and should
be seen in clear weather 14 or 15 miles distant.

The Light should not be brought to bear to the
Eastward of North by vessels in the Straits, as this
bearing will only lead clear of Sturgeon Bank off
Fraser River.

The Bearings are magnetic.

The Light is for coast purposes and to indicate the
entrance to Burrard Inlet.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE & FISHERIES,
Ottawa, 22nd February, 1875.

ON HING,

Dealer in

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher
Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Over-
alls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale
and Retail, at Low Rates.

Call 2m

Notices.

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE from the Province
my Power of Attorney will be held by my bro-
ther, Mr. Wm. Wilson.
All persons having claims against me will please
present them forthwith; and persons indebted to the
firm of THOS. WILSON & CO., who do not desire to
settle with me, will please pay them during the pre-
sent month.
THOS. WILSON.
Victoria, B.C., April 3, 1875.

Notice to Petty Jurors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN (BY ORDER
of the Court of that your attendance will not be
required at the Court of Assize, James Bay, until
Thursday the 20th instant, at the hour of 11 o'clock
in the forenoon.

RICHARD WOODS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, 11th May, 1875.

Estate of Fell & Finlayson.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
A FINAL DIVIDEND OF FOUR 667-1000
per cent. will be payable at the office of Norris
& Wyllie, Government street, on and after Monday,
the 1st inst.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSON,
ppro. JAMES WYLLIE, THOS. EARLE, Assignees.
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1875.

NOTICE-REMOVAL.

R. B. THOMPSON,

DENTIST.

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE
to the Rooms recently occupied by
the Mechanic Institute, up stairs in
the Occidental Buildings, corner of
GOVERNMENT and FORT STREETS,
Victoria, May 1st, 1875.

Johnson's Cassiar and Stickeen Ex- press.

NOTICE.
I HAVE MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH
the Agent of Wells, Fargo & Co. to receive and
re-emit in my name for all letters or
packages to or from the above points.
An Express will be dispatched from their office by
every steamer, thus giving the public greatly in-
creased facilities over the regular mail.

JOHN JOHNSON.
Victoria, April 24th, 1875.

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE
undersigned, on behalf of the Building Com-
mittee for the erection of the Reformed Episcopal
Church, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, at Noon.
The Plans and Specifications may be seen at my
office.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept
the lowest or any tender.

JOHN TEAGUE, Architect,
Cor. Government and Fort streets.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST
the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please
hand in the same, and those indebted to the firm
will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE
in Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the
morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the even-
ing.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL
only accept Cash for Rent, as well as for other
payments to be made to me.

ED. LOWENBERG.
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\$25 REWARD!

A NEW FENCE ON THE ALLEY-WAY
leading from Johnson street to Matthew, Rich-
ard & Tyer's store was willfully broken down on
or about the 3d inst.

The above reward will be paid to any person
giving such information as will lead to the conviction
of the offender.

MATTHEWS, RICHARDS & TYER.
Victoria, May 5th, 1875.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST
the Estate of the late E. GROVE, Esq., in Bar
Hotel, will please hand in the same; and all persons
indebted to the Estate will please settle their ac-
counts forthwith.

A. PRINGLE & CO., Executors.
BOSTON BAR, B.C., April 15, 1875.

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF
Mules or Horses,

RELONGING TO THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SUR-
VEY.

Without written authority after this notice,
WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order, MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874.

Mr. W. JACKSON.

(Late Resident Surgeon, Royal Hospital.)
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE,
114 Yates street, opposite Langley street, daily
from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M., and on Saturdays from
10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Mr. Jackson has opened in connection with his
Yates street office

A Retail Drug Store.
67 PRESCRIPTIONS DISPENSED.

Residence—Constant street, below Blanchard.

Harbors of Victoria and Esquimalt.

HARBORMASTER'S OFFICE,
Victoria, April 26, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT FROM and after May 1st next, the following scale of Fees are payable at this office, for vessels arriving within the ports of Victoria and Esquimalt:

For every ship or vessel of 50 tons, but not more than
80 tons, (registered tonnage) 50 cents.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, 1000 authorized Agent in San Francisco.

REGISTER! REGISTER!!

Electors of British Columbia. The Ministry succeeded, with the aid of a servile and corrupt majority, in forcing through the Legislature, under false promises of the old law having been disallowed, a new Qualification and Registration of Voters Act. This Act not only surrounds the franchise right with unnecessary and vexatious complications and restrictions amounting practically to a return to the old system of property qualification, but it imposes upon you the necessity of ANNUAL REGISTRATION and of going before a Magistrate every year to swear to your own identity, &c., &c. There can be no doubt that this law will operate largely as a disfranchiser in the country districts; as it is too much to expect farmers to leave their work in seed time and travel in many instances a day's journey in order to comply with the vexatious and arbitrary provisions of an illiberal law which ought never to have been passed, and the only conceivable object of which was to dominate the ranks of voters which Ministers feared. A GENERAL ELECTION IS AT HAND. You have only till the FIRST DAY OF JUNE on the Island, and the FIRST DAY OF JULY on the Mainland, to register, and it remains for you to show that you appreciate and deserve the rights of freemen by rallying around the Ballot-box and securing the return of such men to the next House as shall redeem your freedom and hurl from power men who are hurrying your country on to financial ruin! It is for you, by one grand uprising—one patriotic effort, to defeat the diabolical object of the new law.

THE COFFER-DAM.

Have the Government figured the cost of a Dry Dock? Have they ascertained where the necessary funds are to come from? Have they engaged a competent and experienced engineer to oversee the work? Have they consulted with the two Governments from whom the money is to be obtained as to the class of Dock to be built? Have they, in short, any well defined scheme for the construction of a dock? And if so, what is it? We have looked through the elaborate specifications prepared by Mr. Morris. They are, as far as we can judge at present, plain to the scientific mind. So far so good. The specifications are the easiest part of the work. The most essential portion—the financial scheme—is nowhere to be found. If it ever had an existence it has disappeared. It is true we were told in the House that if the Province would build a dock that would be approved by the Imperial engineers, that that Government, upon completion of the work, would grant £50,000 towards its cost in consideration of the Imperial ships being docked therein free of charge for a long term of years. Next the country was told that the Canadian Government had promised to "give" us \$250,000 towards the same object; but when our Premier asked for the money he was told that it was a loan at 5 per cent. In the House, in reply to a Yale member, whose conscience troubled him on the subject, Mr. Walkem said that if the Canadian money was not a gift the dock would not be commenced. Now, if Mr. Walkem has since ascertained that the Canadian money is a gift, he is, in our opinion, deserving of credit for an honest effort to commence a great and needed work, and he ought to lose no time in communicating to the public the welcome intelligence. But if he has found out that it is only to be had as a loan, or if he is still groping in the thick fog of uncertainty, he must have broken faith with the conscience-stricken member for Yale and has plunged into a sea of financial trouble which, sooner or later, will overwhelm him. If however, he has found it necessary to borrow the money, let us hope that Canada is not to be our creditor. At present Canada is in our debt for work unperformed in a sum running far into millions. Would it be wise, would it be politic, in us to approach the Canadians for a loan with the balance of indebtedness so largely in our favor? The unwisdom of such a course is apparent. Confederation meant the Railway. The promise of the Railway secured the passage of the Terms; and if our Government, by going in debt to Canada, should place us so completely in her power as to still further loosen the Railway obligation, the term "traitors" would be a mild one to apply to them. If Canada refuses to give the money for the Dock and it must be borrowed let us exhaust every other market before placing ourselves in the power of our debtor, especially as the House has already voted to borrow nearly a million of dollars for road and bridge purposes. In any case, we think the Government owe it to themselves and the country to seize an early opportunity to make public the financial scheme upon which the Dry Dock work is based.

Shipment of American Iron to England.

The Birmingham (England) 'Post' says:—"Much discussion was some time ago occasioned respecting a shipment of American iron for sale and use in England. At the time it was thought that finished iron had been sent across from the States, but the explanation was that the transaction had been an experimental consignment of good pig iron. In fact, it was a lot of Alabama and Georgia pig, for which the makers had hoped to get £8 per ton, but that when sold in Liverpool did not realize more than £7 net. This figure, however, left profit, though but very small. We have authority for saying that the Cornwall Iron Company, of Cedar Bluff, Cherokee county, Alabama, are preparing to ship to the same destination one hundred tons of their charcoal (pig) iron, and they have secured freight from Savannah to Liverpool at ten shillings per ton. The comparative nearness in point of cost of this country to the pig-making furnaces of the Southern States is to be observed in the fact that the first consignment was conveyed to Liverpool at only one dollar a ton more than it would have cost to take the same iron from the furnaces to Cincinnati."

THE RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE.—In ending purchasers of sewing machines should select a machine which combines cheapness with undeniable excellence. The possession of these qualities by the Raymond Machine has so increased the demand for them that during the past year a second manufactory has been built in order to keep up a sufficient supply. The Raymond Machine is equal if not superior to the high priced American machines and costs about half the price. The Raymond is easy to learn and light running, and is supplied, without extra charge, with all the new improvements. A fresh supply received by A. B. Gray, Albion House, Government street. Sole agents for B. C.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared his premises on Fort street, as sold by all the principal dealers.

D. GREEN, Government street, would call the particular attention of the Ladies of Victoria and Puget Sound to his stock of Knickerbockers, Younts' and Boys' Clothing of the latest styles, which were made under his own supervision. Also, Boys' Collars of all sizes for sale.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.
"The Bankruptcy Act, 1862."
In re Wong Ning, Wong Fung and Wong Gung, trading under the style and firm of Tye Cheung Lung & Co., Bankrupts.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above bankrupts will be held before the Hon. Mr. Justice Gray, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, on Monday, 31st day of May, at 12 o'clock, noon.
CHAS. E. POOLBY, Registrar.
Victoria, B.C., 13th May, 1876. my16

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY REGATTA.

Under the Patronage of
His Honor the LIEUT. GOVERNOR
ADMIRAL COCHRANE,
SIR JAMES DOUGLAS, K. C. B.,
CAPTAIN WILSON,
His Worship the Mayor and Council,
CAPT. THE HON. RICHARD HARE,
CAPT. VAN DER MEULEN, H.M.S. REVELER.
And the Officers of Her Majesty's Navy.
Will be held on the usual course on the 24th of May.
COMMITTEE:
E. G. Baker, Esq.,
J. Bosworth, Esq.,
C. H. Brodie, Esq.,
Capt. Cooper,
J. P. Davies, Esq.,
A. Dodd, Esq.,
M. W. T. Drake, Esq.,
D. Eckstein, Esq.,
C. Elliott, Esq.,
J. H. Engelhardt, Esq.,
Lieut. Col. Houghton,
Lieut. Irat, R.N.,
R. E. Jackson, Esq.,
George Jay, Esq.,
R. Jenkins, Esq.,
M. T. Johnston, Esq.,
Thos. Jones, Esq.,
Arthur Keast, Esq.,
G. Kent, Esq.,
R. Ker, Esq.,
E. B. Marvin, Esq.,
F. Marvin, Esq.,
J. F. McCreight, Esq.,
Hon. W. J. Macdonald,
P. McQuade, Esq.,
F. Payne, Esq.,
Lieut. Col. Powell,
M. Phillips, Esq.,
Capt. Rayment,
R. P. Rithet, Esq.,
A. R. Robertson, Esq.,
Lieut. Col. Stuart, Esq.,
F. Saunders, Esq.,
Dr. Tolmie,
T. H. Tyne, Esq.,
R. Wall, Esq.,
R. Wootton, Esq.,
P. Wooliscott, Esq.,
Robt. Ward, Esq.,
Robt. Young, Esq.,
Arthur Vowell, Esq.,
G. Owen, Esq.

PROGRAMME:
1st Race—4-eared Race for youths under 10; prize \$30; entrance \$2 50.
2nd "—Senior Single Sculls—for Corporation Cup. \$20 added if 3 boats start.
3rd "—Canoe Race.
4th "—Blue Jacket Race.
5th "—Doul le Sculls; prize \$30; entrance \$2 50.
6th "—Blue Jacket.
7th "—Single Sculls, for Gov-General's Silver Medal, \$20 added; entrance \$2 50.
8th "—Blue Jacket.
9th "—Four-oared Race, open to all comers; prize \$50; entrance \$2 50.
10th "—Single Sculls, for Brit. Col. youth's prize, \$10; for Gov-General's Bronze Medal, \$15 added; entrance \$2.
11th "—Canoe Race.
12th "—Dingy Race, prize \$15; entrance \$1, on the course for this race only, with the Judges, on, thus prior to the race.
All entrances go to the second boats.
All disputes to be referred to the Umpire, Mr. Baker. All entrances to be made and colors in at the Boomerang before 9 p.m. on Friday, May 21st.
Application for programmes or general information to be made to the Secretary or the Committee of Management.
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT:
Lt. Inst. H. M. Myrland, A. Vowell, Esq.,
H. M. Repulse, G. J. Stuart, Esq.,
C. Gowen, Esq.
Should sufficient funds be subscribed, a steamer and boats will be provided to convey the public to and from the George free of charge.
ap25 GEORGE J. STUART, Hon. Sec.

A Chance for Farmers and Stock-Raisers.

THE ENTIRE HORSE TOPGALLANT
Will stand for the season at the Prince of Wales Stables, Victoria. Price, \$5.
J. T. DUNLOP.
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New Advertisements.

Municipal—Tenders.

SEALED TENDERS (ENDORSED TENDERS FOR WOODEN DRAINS) will be received by the undersigned till 4 o'clock p.m. of Wednesday, 19th May, instant, for the construction of a Wooden Drain from West end of Government street (opposite the old Lumber Bakery) along the South side of Johnson street to Wharf street.
The names of two responsible citizens as bondsmen for the faithful performance of the work must accompany each tender.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
(Signed) WM. LEIGH, M.C.C.
City Clerk's Office, 13th May, 1876. my14

TO BUILDERS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE seen at my office on Kane street, where Tenders will be received till 2 p.m. on Saturday, 22nd instant, for alterations of a dwelling house near the corner of Cook and Pandora streets.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane St., 14th May, 1876. my16

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS and additions to a brick residence, James Bay, for H. Young, Esq. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office. Tenders will be received on Thursday, May 13th, at noon. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.
my14 Cor. Fort and Government streets.

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE erection of a Cottage Residence on Fort street for John Harris, Esq. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders will be received on Saturday, May 15th, at noon. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.
my14 Cor. Fort and Government streets.

RAFFLE

—FOR A—

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS.

(The Finest Establishment on the Island.)

200 CHANCES AT \$3 Each.

The winner to take the Horse, Buggy and Harness, or \$100 in Cash.
The Animal, etc., may be seen at Francis' Stables, Trounce Alley.
Due Notice will be given of the Raffle.
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REWARD.

Ten Dollars Reward!

Will be paid to any Tailor in the Province of British Columbia who will

Cut, Make and Fit

A SUIT OF CLOTHES

OF AS GOOD A QUALITY

As can be Bought at the Same Price

—AT—

DAVID GREEN'S,

ap15 GOVERNMENT STREET.

LIVERPOOL COARSE SALT

" FINE "

Ex "Harvest Home."

FOR SALE BY SPROAT & CO.

Came to the Premises

OF THE UNDERSIGNED ABOUT one month ago, a 2-year old White Steer, with two red ears, each ap15
The owner can have the same by applying to the undersigned, paying expenses and the cost of this advertisement. If not redeemed within Fourteen days will be sold at Public Auction.
JOHN BURROUGHS, Twin Oak Farm.
May 1st, 1876. my2 2nd

S. A. SPENCER,

Photographic Artist

DEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has vacated the premises recently occupied by him on Government street, and that he intends in future to continue his business in more commodious and extensive premises now in course erection on

FORT STREET, near BROAD.

Orders in the meantime may be left at Dougherty's store, Theatre Building, Government street.
ap29

Mrs. A. Rodgers,

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

ESTABLISHMENT,

FORT STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD, VICTORIA, V. I.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

HATS, BONNETS & MILLINERY

GOODS,

Received by Last Express from London.
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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO H. M. COHEN are requested to settle their accounts on or before the Tenth day of May next, or proceedings will be taken against them. All parties having any claims against H. M. COHEN will please present them forthwith to him for payment.
H. M. COHEN.
Victoria, April 27, 1876. ap28 2nd

CASSIAR EXPRESS,

Carrying H. M. MAIL.

Will leave FORT WRANGLER ON every arrival of steam California during the season, and is prepared to attend to any Express Business which may order.

J. JOHNSTON,
Mail Contractor,
Agent Victoria Daily & Weekly Colonist.
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DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,

(FROM CANTON)

Surgeon and Physician,

CORMORANT ST. opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERICAN Consultants at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.
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C. F. Barnard, M. D.,

DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:
DOUGLAS STREET,
Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.
Victoria, May 11th, 1876. my12

Victoria Water Works.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Wednesday the 19th instant, at 4 p.m., for Digging Trench, Laying and Jointing Pipe, and Redding French on certain streets in the city. Special attention of the work can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers,
Broad street, 10th May, 1876. my11

Notice.

THE STORE OF THE UNDERSIGNED will be closed for the space of one week on account of death in the family.
LEWIS LEWIS.
Victoria, B. C., May 3d, 1876. my1

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY

At the COLONIST OFFICE

New Advertisements.

ACCOUNT, showing the whole Amount of the DEBTS and ASSETS of the BANK of BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, at the Close of the Year 1874, and showing also the Amount of its NOTES payable on Demand, which had been in Circulation during every Month of that Year; together with the Amount of SPECIE and other ASSETS, distinguishing each Kind, immediately available in every such Month, for the Discharge of such Notes.
(Published pursuant to Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

DEBTS.		Sterling.		ASSETS.		Sterling.	
Circulation.		£	s. d.	Specie.		£	s. d.
Other Liabilities.		3,441,789	2 6	Other Assets.		4,333,586	10 2
		£3,837,997	3 4			£5,138,246	0 8

1873.	Notes in Circulation.	Specie.	Notes of other Banks.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January.	2,124,968	2,876,896	247,462
February.	2,077,146	2,814,091	220,784
March.	2,042,467	2,824,658	206,304
April.	2,034,972	2,880,159	233,835
May.	1,952,721	2,664,684	214,680
June.	1,977,468	2,644,428	307,868
July.	1,998,597	2,748,164	239,243
August.	2,019,907	2,840,418	253,155
September.	2,086,863	2,862,801	289,207
October.	2,329,354	2,801,877	316,212
November.	2,274,069	2,759,278	351,056
December.	2,085,886	2,640,291	269,382

By order of the Court of Directors.
Bank of British North America,
London, March 30, 1875. [my12] R. W. BRADFORD, Secretary.

EX HARVEST HOME,

NOW LANDING!

BRANDY. Champagne Vineyard Proprietors Co., in quarter casks, octaves and cases; also, in cases of flasks and half flasks.

Southern Vineyard Proprietors, in quarters, octaves and cases.

ALE. M. B. Foster & Sons (Bass), in quarts and pints.

STOUT. M. B. Foster & Sons (Guinness), half pints and pints.

DEVONSHIRE CIDER. Bottled by M. B. Foster & Sons, in quarts.

GINGER ALE. H. D. Rawlings', the first consignment of this delicious beverage that has been received in the Province.

LEMONADE. H. D. Rawlings', of very superior quality.

Also a Full Assortment of Wines, Liquors, &c.

ap23 TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL.

W. C. WEBSTER'S

BOOT & SHOE STORE,

NEXT TO J. H. TURNER & CO'S, GOVERNMENT ST.

JUST OPENED WITH A SPLENDID

NEW ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS AND SHOES!

Of Every Description.

Boots and Shoes Made to Order and Repairs Neatly Done.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY

VICTORIA,

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

I AM AUTHORIZED BY THE MAYOR AND Council of the City of Victoria to offer for public subscription \$50,000 additional Debenture Bonds of the City of Victoria, bearing interest at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum, created in pursuance of the Acts of Parliament, The Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873, and the Water Works Amendment Act, 1875.

These Bonds are payable to bearer and are secured by endorsement of the Provincial Government and form a lien or charge on the General Revenue of the Province of British Columbia and are a first charge on the General Revenue and the whole of the property of the City of Victoria.

The interest on the bonds will be payable half-yearly by compound interest.

The Principal is payable in Victoria at the expiration of twenty years, and a Sinking Fund will be annually set apart by the Corporation to redeem the Bonds, as provided by the Acts of Parliament.

Applications for the \$50,000, or any part thereof, in sums not less than \$100, must be made to the undersigned before 4 p.m. of the 19th inst.

Copies of the Act and any further information can be had on application.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers,
6th May, 1876. my7

PHILIPS, WADLEIGH & CO.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

BUTCHERS,

Government st., opp. Postoffice.

YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED. my5

REMOVAL.

MR. MATTHEWS HAS REMOVED TO Helsterman's Building, Langley street, near Tates.
my9 1st

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Royal Hospital for the years 1875 and 1874 are requested to send the same to the undersigned on or before the 10th inst.

ALEX. WILSON, Treasurer.
May 5th, 1876. my6

ROOFING SLATES.

2,000 FINE ROOFING SLATES.

For Sale by J. T. HOWARD, Equinault.
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BARK.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF 350 Cords of Hemlock Bark, to be delivered in the bark shed at the Belmont Tannery before the 20th October next, will be received at the office of the Belmont Tanning and Bark and Shoe Manufacturing Co., Limited, up to the 18th instant.

By order of the Directors.
J. C. BALES, Secretary.
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SHEPHERD CUTLERY STORE,

ADJOINING VICTORIA HOUSE, GOVERNMENT ST.

MRS. FOX

GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES the liberal patronage of her friends and the public generally and solicits a continuance of the same.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF Table, Pen and Pocket Cutlery, Razors & Scissors, Ivory, Bone, Stag & Tip Carvers & Steels, Wilson's Celebrated Butcher Knives & Steels, Bread Knives, Cook Knives, Etc., Etc., Lamps, Lamp Fittings, Etc., Etc.
my1 1st

Stock Lost.

SEVEN HEAD OF HEIFERS and Steers, 2 years old, branded J. H. on the hip and right ear cut and nipped, have escaped from the enclosure near the Royal Oak Inn, Spanish road. Anyone returning the same or giving information where they may be found will be suitably rewarded.

J. HEAL, Lake District.
ap17 2nd

New Advertisements.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY RACES,

Under the Patronage of the City Council.

SATURDAY, MAY 22nd, 1875.

Judge—Col. Houghton. Starter—Mr. Vowell.

COMMITTEE

Hon. Geo. A. Walkem, Mayor Drummond, Councillor Williams, Mr. Bowker, Mr. J. T. Howard, Mr. Houghton, D.A.C., Mr. Vowell, F. Reynolds, Mr. Scott, W. McNeill, C. T. Dupont.
Hon. Arthur Brewster, Mayor Drummond, Councillor Gowen, Councillor Searow, F. Saunders, Ex-Mayor Dalby, Mr. Vowell, Chief Engineer Lohse, F. Garesche, Geo. Thomson, J. T. Brodie.

PROGRAMME

1st—Hurdle Race—Purse \$100—Mile heats—2 in 3, over four flights of hurdles—Weight, 160 lbs.—Entrance \$5 added.
2nd—Queen's Plate—Purse \$200—Mile heats—2 in 3, over four flights of hurdles—Weight, 160 lbs.—Entrance \$5 added.
3rd—Trial Stakes—Purse \$100—Single dash of 1 1/4 miles—For all horses worked as saddle horses—Top weights 126 lbs.—Entrance \$5 added.
4th—Trotting Race—Purse \$100—Mile heats—2 in 3—Under saddle or in harness—Entrance \$10 added.

RULES

All horses in 2 and 3 races to be handicapped by Committee.
Three horses, the property of different owners, to enter and two to start, or no public money will be given.
All horses entering for the Queen's Plate to be disqualified for the Trial Stakes.

All entries to the 1st, 3rd and 4th races to be accompanied with \$5, and the 2d race \$15 to the subscription list, or the entry not to be received.
These races are open to all comers, and horses from the second admitted duty free.

A general meeting will be held at the Boomerang on the 15th May at 4 p.m., to appoint an Executive Committee.
Nominations to be made to the Treasurer on or before 9 p.m. 20th May. Entries to close at the same hour on the 21st May.

The price of Refreshment Booths shall be \$20, and all applications for such Booths must be made and the money paid to the Treasurer on or before Thursday the 20th inst., at 4 p.m.

W. McNEIFF, Treasurer.

KRUG'S CHAMPAGNE.

KRUG & CO'S CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts & Pints, for sale by

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

BOTTLED ALE & STOUT.

WILLIAM YOUNGER & CO'S Edinburgh Ale and Stout, in quarts and pints. For sale by

FINDLAY, DURHAM &amp

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

DOMINION HOTEL,
New Westminster, B. C.
MRS. KEARY
BEGS TO INFORM THE TRAVELLING public and others that the Dominion Hotel is now open for the reception of guests.
This New and Commodious Hotel which is situated on Columbia street, next door to the Public Library, has been newly furnished throughout and offers first class accommodation to a large number of guests.
W. S. KEARY, Proprietress.
New Westminster, B. C. mh27dw

ANGEL HOTEL,
LANGLEY STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S LATE EBERHARDT'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRIETOR.
The Scale of Charges:
Board and Lodging per Week.....\$ 6 00
do do do Per Day..... 1 00
Board per Week..... 5 00
Single Meals..... 37 1/2
The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. oc 28 dwf

AUSTRALIAN HOTEL,
James Bay Bridge, Victoria.
FURNISHES THE BEST ACCOMMODATION for Travellers to be had in Victoria.
Board per Week.....\$5 00 (Single Meals... 37 1/2 cts.)
Board per Day..... 1 00 (Sea Water Baths 3 for \$1)
Separate Rooms furnished.
Music and Pleasure Boats for the use of Patrons of the Hotel.
The Table is supplied with the best in the Market.
mh28 W. C. S. SEELEY, Proprietor.

ST. GEORGE HOTEL,
Government Street,
BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON, VICTORIA, B. C.
Built of Brick, Newly Furnished, has First-Class Accommodations AT LOWEST RATES.
Jas JOHN J. JACOBS, Proprietor.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
TREHART & HEMENOVER, - - PROPRIETORS.

TWO NEW BILLIARD TABLES
FITTED WITH
Phelan's Patent Fast Wire Cushions
Billiard players should give them a trial. The Fastest Tables in the City.
The Best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS at the Bar. oc 17

Colonial Hotel and
Driard House.
GOVERNMENT AND VIEW STREETS, VICTORIA B. C.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.
None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
mh7 LUGAS & REDON Proprietors

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGAR
Victoria, B. C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN
Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Board and Lodging per Day \$1. Single Meals, 37 1/2 cents; Beds, 50 cents.
Terms—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House. oc 18 3m

TEMPERANCE HOTEL.
MRS. BILLINGS & CO.
HAVING LEASED THE FIREPROOF building, corner of Fort and Douglas streets, have refurnished the same and will open it on
Monday, March 8th,
As a First-class Boarding House, and by strict attention to business hope to receive a share of public patronage. No pains will be spared in securing the most comfortable accommodation of guests.
Single Meals..... 37 1/2 cts.
Beds, (per night)..... 50 cts.
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Ayer's Sarsaparilla,
FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.
This compound of the vegetable alteratives, Sarsaparilla, Dock, Stillingia and Mandrake with the addition of Potassium and Iron makes a most effective cure of a series of complaints which are very prevalent and afflicting. It purifies the blood, purges out the lurking humors in the system, that undermine health and settle into troublesome disorders. Eruptions of the skin are the appearance on the surface of humors that should be expelled from the blood. Internal derangements are the determination of the same humors to come into internal organs, whose action they derange, and whose substance they disease and destroy. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA expels these humors from the blood. When they are gone, the disorders they produce disappear, such as Ulcerations of the Liver, Stomach, Kidney, Lungs, Eruptions and Eruptive Diseases of the Skin, St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Pimples, Blisters, Boils, Tumors, Tetter and Salt Rheum, scald Head, Ringworm, Ulcers and Sores, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain in the Bones, Side and Head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhoea arising from internal ulceration and uterine prolap, Dyspepsia, Emaciation and General Debility. With their departure health returns.
PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.
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FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
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